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June 24, 2005

Ms. Schuyler Siefker
Executive Director
St. Augustine Youth Services (SAYS)
50 Saragossa Street
St. Augustine, Florida 32084

Dear Ms. Siefker:

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATION WITHDRAWAL

This letter acknowledges your voluntary intent to not re-apply for an Annual Certification as an Out-of-State Group Home provider. Per your telephone conversation on June 20, 2005 with Olaniyan Akyeem, Certification Analyst, your decision to not re-apply was confirmed also acknowledging that there are no California children currently placed. Your letter indicating your decision has been accepted by the Out-of-State Certification Unit (OSCU).

The OSCU would like to take this opportunity to thank you and your staff for providing a very important and valuable service to the California children that have been in your care over the last several years.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Olaniyan Akyeem at (916) 263-4724 or myself at (916) 263-4743.

Sincerely,

ROBERT PATE
Assistant Program Administrator
Out-of-State Certification Unit

c: Jackie Rodriguez, Manager and Deputy Compact Administrator
Out-of-State Placement Policy Unit